

Annual Report for the Institutional Review Board – FY20

This report describes the activities of the Institutional Review Board (IRB) beginning June 1, 2019 and ending May 31, 2020 (FY20).

As shown in Table 1, 95 new protocols were submitted to the IRB in FY20 (versus 80 in FY19 and 104 in FY18), and 4 protocols originally submitted in FY19 were submitted with revisions for approval in FY20. Of these 99 protocols, 3 protocols received full board review (3.03%), 33 protocols were classified as expedited (33.33%), and 55 were classified as exempt (55.56%). Eight protocols (8.08%), were reviewed and returned to the investigator with comments and suggested edits, but were later withdrawn.

Table 1. IRB Protocol Classification in FY20

| Classification | Summer 2019 | Fall 2019 |
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